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## In the Specification:

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 31, line 21 as follows:

Figure 1 is a Figures 1A and 1B are schematic representation

representations of the construction of the N6 protein.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 31, line 22 as follows:

Figure 2 illustrates Figures 2A-2C illustrate the N6 and N10 constructs and their respective DNA and amino acid sequences. The histidine tag, the flag peptide, the Fxa cutting site and the CD4+ T cell epitopes are underlined.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 32, line 20 as follows:

Figure 7 is a Figures 7A and 7B are schematic representation

representations of the N11 construct and its respective DNA and protein sequence. The hexahistidine tag, the flag peptide, the FXa cutting site, and the CD4+ T cell epitopes are underlined.

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 32, line 23 as follows:

Figure 8 is a Figures 8A and 8B are schematic representation

representations of the N19 construct and its respective DNA and protein sequence. The hexahistidine tag, the flag peptide, the FXa cutting site, and the CD4+ T cell epitopes are underlined.

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